

The Birmingham Eccentric

If one needs proof beyond the wonder of a new-born babe to prove the existence of God, do not flowers, music, art, kind words and deeds add to this proof? Surely, mankind's inheritance is more than things that mirth corrupt, and just decay!

21 B'ham Girls To Spend 2 Weeks At Camp Cavell

Among the 131 girls who arrived at the YMCA's Camp Cavell on Lake Huron Saturday were 21 from the Birmingham area.

Attending the two-week session are: Marilyn Bratton, 2380 Woodale; Pauline Craig, 327-15 Labster; 965 Henley drive.

Also at the session are: Sandra Sweet, 5750 Euclid drive; Wendy Walsh, 1537 Buckingham; Wendy Westrate, 1585 Buckingham; Connie and Ann Wedel, 1289 Glenhurst; and Grace Wyatt, 18436 Devonshire.

Helen Cudini, 32831 Labster; Christine Doyle, 1076 Freerer; Jeanne Delbridge, 722 Colonial Court; Dianne Dinges, 540 River Oak; and Annie Marie D'Hyveer, 541 Wimbledon.

Other campers are: Jill Conlan, 2892 Dorchester; Patricia Lenahan, 1225 Lake Park; Peggy Lourie, 1543 Dorchester; Lucinda Marero, 2420 Eldorado; Martha Mitchell, 5401 Cambourne; Kathleen Riley, 573 Westchester Way; Pamela Ross, 711 Bates; and Jayne Thornor, 965 Henley drive.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ron McCulloch, 1592 Bates, whose old fashioned buggy for sightseeing during their vacation at Castle Harbour hotel, Bermuda. Mr. McCulloch, sales promotion manager of Nash division of American Motors, accompanied a group of Nash dealers and their wives on a prize-winning Bermuda vacation.

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DO NOT DETAIN THE TWELVE TOWN DRAIN—VOTE FOR

JOHN G. SEMANN-Republican
For DRAIN COMMISSIONER

PROGRAM

- To thoroughly investigate all possible sources of Federal and State aid
- To continue to submit periodic reports of the activities in the Drain Office to the Supervisor, City and Township Boards and Newspapers.
- To assign engineering and professional staff to qualified persons who are residents and taxpayers of Oakland County.

LET'S GET THINGS DONE!
Donated by friends in Birmingham

Nominate the Congressman for the family

WILLIAM S. BROOMFIELD

Here's the sound record of improving family benefits built by Broomfield during 8 years in the State Legislature

- \$100,000,000 bill for distressed school districts.
- Special Education Act (\$1,400,000 for handicapped children).
- Workmen's Compensation Act. (Result: Michigan enjoys highest benefits in U.S.)
- Homestead Exemption for blind persons or widows of blind persons.
- A bill to expand a State Water Resources Commission.
- \$217,000,000 School Aid Bill.
- A bill to increase salaries for school teachers and all school personnel.
- A bill for bonus for Korean veterans.
- A bill to increase Old Age Benefits.
- A bill to advance Junior Colleges (\$750,000).
- A bill to remove the locking devices from abandoned refrigerators.
- A bill to increase benefits under the Employment Security Act.
- A bill for special parking privileges for disabled veterans.
- A bill to establish a Veteran's Homestead Exemption Act.
- A bill to reinstate veterans in their jobs after return from service.

"I pledge my future to the people of Oakland County"

When Bill Broomfield says it, he means it! Every one of the bills listed at the right were sponsored by this young Royal Oak leader—and every one was passed! Bill Broomfield pledges to continue this outstanding record of bettering family living as your next Congressman.

Primary Day is August 7

Assure the continued support of the man whose only aim is a better Oakland County

NOMINATE WILLIAM S. BROOMFIELD

Republican - 18th Congressional District - Congress

Water Lily Hybridizer Visited

By ALICE WESSELS BURLINGAME
Special Writer for The Birmingham Eccentric

ST. LOUIS MISSOURI—When I visited fine European gardens and asked questions about culture, they would always say that when it came to water lilies, they received their finest hybrids from George Pring of the Missouri botanical gardens in St. Louis.

You can imagine that it didn't take me very long after arriving in St. Louis to arrange for a visit with this world-famous hybridizer of water lilies.

Mr. Pring has dedicated his concentrated study on the development of the best crosses of this flower class for the last 40 years. In addition, he has worked in the field of orchids, being national vice president of the orchid society.

A LARGE LILY pool greets the visitor near the entrance of the park. There it is possible to see many rare types.

The most spectacular lily is the Amazon lily (Victoria Crzyza), which has a leaf with a potential of should plan on snails and fish. The fish will keep down the mosquito larvae.

The lily floats on the water like a round pie with a fluted, unturned rim. The flower has the scent of a pineapple and can be six to 10 inches in diameter.

THIS RARE LILY flowers at night. The first day the lily will be white, the second day it will be pink and the third day a rose color. As there are many leaves which will develop, a pool should be 20 feet in diameter. This large-leaved water lily can support the weight of a man.

I can think of so many locations in our area where there are contemporary homes who could achieve an exotic effect by having a pool centered outside a picture window.

A POOL SHOULD be 18 inches deep for lily culture, allowing 12 inches above the soil for water. The location should be in full sun.

In order to assure a good quality of water in the pool, the owner should plan on snails and fish. The fish will keep down the mosquito larvae.

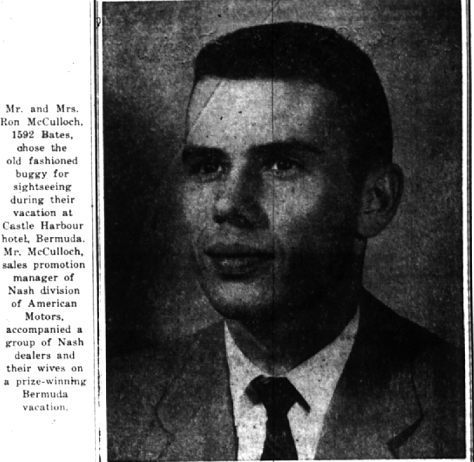
Night-flowering lilies are a favorite with hostesses, as they can be cut at three o'clock and will be in full flower by the dinner hour. The night-flowering lilies lend themselves very well to a night lighting program.

I CAN JUST HEAR some local gardeners say: "The gals don't stay home in the daytime to see them, so they should have the night-flowering lilies."

There are hardy water lilies, which means they will winter over, and the tropical varieties. They aren't very expensive, and I would surely advise the tropical lilies, as you can have better colors and a large selection.

The perennial lilies float on the water, while the tropical lilies have a sturdy stem and the flower is elevated above the water surface. An excellent bulletin can be secured from the Missouri botanical garden if you are a future water lily fancier.

More new residents at 744 Graefield Terrace are Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Krueger, and their daughter, Karen, 8 months old, from Ann Arbor. Mrs. Krueger graduated from University of Michigan and is an architect with Yamaoka, Lohmeyer and associates of Royal Oak. Mrs. Krueger attended both University of Michigan and Michigan State University. The Kruegers list their hobbies as golf, bridge, cooking out, and water skiing.



VOTE FOR
JAMES C. FOSTER Jr.
for
STATE REPRESENTATIVE
BIRMINGHAM RESIDENT

Birmingham's OWN CANDIDATE



STANLEY M. BROWN
for SENATOR

Platform: Immediate steps are recommended to remedy problems like highways, school teachers' pay, facilities for mentally retarded children and adequate water and drainage. Underlying my interest in all of these is my basic concept of our great economy as one that has built itself through freedom, paid its own way and should have our undying efforts to preserve it as such. The Eisenhower Administration is one of the best in U.S. history. My book of Republicanism also included many pages of Hoover, Taft and MacArthur.

Graefield - Derby

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Young Guests Entertained At Back Yard Splash Party

Master Stevie Craig was king for a day last Thursday when he celebrated his third birthday with a splash party at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Craig, 1714 Witherbee, Troyton Manor.

There were three swimming pools, one located at the foot of the back yard slide. When the young guests finally tired of jumping from one pool to another and sliding into the water, they moved to the porch where the birthday table was set with a bunny cake and vari-colored decorations and favors.

Stevie's guests for the celebration were Marcia Case, Tommy Shulte, Patti Kaufman, Diane Young, Pam Miner, Jackie Young, Kathy Miner, and Stevie's sister, Karen. After the party, Stevie had the pleasure of sporting a brand new two-wheel bike through the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Spiegel, 1997 Pembroke, and their sons, Tommy, 7, Bobby, 5, and John, 3 months old, returned to their home recently after spending a three-week vacation at a cottage on Lakeshore drive, above Port Huron.

Mr. Spiegel spent one week there, while Mrs. Spiegel and the boys enjoyed the full three weeks vacation. The family reports that the weather was just right for swimming and other summer activities.

Newcomers to Graefield Terrace from the West Coast are Mr. and Mrs. Carl B. Crumb, Jr., who, with their daughters Martha, 5, and Virginia, 3, recently arrived here from Seattle, Wash. Mr. Crumb is associated with Bendix Research Laboratories in Detroit. He enjoys golf and tennis. Mrs. Crumb is interested in gardening. Both Mr. and Mrs. Crumb like to play bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dye, 967 Brooklawn, Troyton Manor, and their children, Freddy and Debby, recently spent a weekend at the summer home of Mr. Dye's parents, on Lake Chatwaux.

They spent quite a bit of time on the water on Mr. Dye, Sr.'s floating platform, known locally as a pontoon boat. It is motor-driven, awning covered, and holds several deck chairs. It is reported to be a very comfortable and relaxing way to spend time at a lake.

Also along on the visit were friends of Mr. and Mrs. Dye, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Beattie, newcomers to this area.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Beattie moved into their apartment at the Graefield Terrace following their honeymoon recently. Mr. Beattie is formerly from Detroit, while Mrs. Beattie sails from Saginaw. Mrs. Beattie will teach the second grade at Adams school this coming term.

Mr. Beattie is a graduate of the University of Detroit, and is a lawyer associated with the North American Co. Mrs. Beattie is a graduate of Michigan State University. They are barbeque enthusiasts and both spend a great deal